



# International Programs - International Student and Scholar Services

## OUR PURPOSE

International Student and Scholar Services (ISSS) is focused on retaining and supporting international students and scholars. We:

- Provide immigration and holistic support for all international students, scholars and faculty across the WSU system
- Deliver robust academic support through Academic English and related programs, including 1:1 tutoring
- Facilitate internships, community experiences and cultural sharing through International Center programs



## 5 TIPS

*Working with culturally and linguistically diverse (CLD) students in the classroom*

1. Understand that CLD students come from cultures with different educational systems and expectations as they relate to faculty and peer interaction patterns. Help them build a new community at WSU.
2. Make your expectations clear and idiom/jargon free.
3. Talk about academic integrity and plagiarism, and refer students to WRIT 301 Plagiarism Labyrinth.
4. Encourage participation in groups that is structured with clearly defined roles in diverse teams.
5. Support student writing and refer students to the Learning Resource Center or Writing Center.

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